

REMARKS

The above-identified official action requires an election of species as follows:

Group I – Figures 1-4

Group II – Figures 5-7, and

Group III – Figures 8-10.

Applicant hereby elects the species of Group III, namely, figures 8-10. This election is without traverse.

Claim 1 is believed to be generic to all species and the following claims are readable on the elected species.

Generic Claim 1,

Claims 2-4,

Claim 6,

Claim 11, and

Claims 15-26.

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It is respectfully submitted that all claims, including those readable on a non-elected species, should be allowable with the allowance of a generic claim.

An action on the merits is courteously solicited.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to call the undersigned at the number listed below if any questions remain.

Respectfully submitted,



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